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## PATENT DEPARTMENT

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CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60606

CONFIRMATION NO.: 9330

In re application of: Tony Albrecht et al.

Serial No.: 09/824,086

GROUP ART UNIT: 2828

Filed: April 2, 2001

EXAMINER: Q. P. Leung

For: OPTICALLY PUMPED, SURFACE-EMITTING SEMICONDUCTOR LASER DEVICE AND METHOD FOR THE MANUFACTURE THEREOF

## AMENDMENT "B" AFTER FINAL

Commissioner for Patents

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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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TOTAL CLAIMS	* 25	MINUS	** 29	X 0	( ) X 9.00 ( ) X 18.00	\$ .00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 1	MINUS	3	X 0	( ) X 42.00 ( ) X 84.00	
Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for.				(') YES ( ) NO	( ) \$135.00 ( ) \$270.00 ONE TIME	
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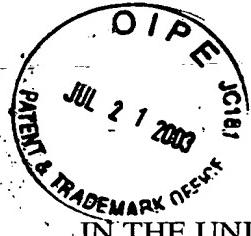
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In response to the final Office Action dated May 6, 2003, amend the above-identified application as follows:

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